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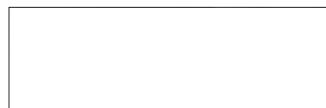
We received your undated letter appealing our 15 January 2008 response to your Freedom of Information Act request for information on Richard C. Doty.

Specifically, you appealed our determination to deny you information based on Section 6 of the CIA Act of 1949, which exempts from disclosure "the organization, functions, names, official titles, salaries, or numbers of personnel employed by the Agency" on the basis of Freedom of Information Act exemptions (b)(1) and (b)(3). We also note that you are requesting all information on Mr. Doty, not just that information which applies to, "...use of his services...or employment of this individual."

Your appeal has been accepted and arrangements will be made for its consideration by the appropriate members of the Agency Release Panel. You will be advised of the determinations made.

In order to afford requesters the most equitable treatment possible, we have adopted the policy of handling appeals on a first-received, first-out basis. At the present time, our workload consists of approximately 200 appeals awaiting completion. In view of this, some delay in our reply must be expected, but I can assure you that every reasonable effort will be made to complete a response as soon as possible.

Sincerely,



for Scott Koch
Information and Privacy Coordinator

